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In Re Application of:

Mattias Luukkonen et al.

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	Transmitted herewith for filing in the above-identified patent application is:						
	A Preliminary Amendment.						
\boxtimes	An Amendment Responsive to the Restriction Requirement dated March 20, 2003.						
	An Amendment Supplemental to the Paper filed .						
	Other: .						
	Applicant(s) has previously claimed small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27.						

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			Applicant(s) by its/their undersigned attorney, claims small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 as:
			an Independent Inventor
			a Small Business Concern
			a Nonprofit Organization
-			This application is no longer entitled to small entity status. It is requested that this be noted in the files of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office.
-			Loss of Entitlement Enclosed
			Substitute Pages of the Specification are enclosed.
			An Abstract is enclosed.
			Sheets of Proposed Corrected Drawings are enclosed.
			A Certified Copy of each of the following applications: is enclosed.
			An Associate Power of Attorney is enclosed.
			Information Disclosure Statement.
			Attached Form 1449.
			A copy of each reference as listed on the attached Form PTO-1449 is enclosed herewith.
			Appended Material as follows: .
		П	Other Material as follows:

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No Additional Fee is Due.

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TOTAL CLAIMS	24	24 (20 MINIMUM)	0	\$9 EACH	\$	\$18 EACH	\$ 0	
INDEP. CLAIMS	14	14 (3 MINIMUM)	0	\$42 EACH	\$	\$84 EACH	\$ 0	
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☑ TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME					\$	\$410	\$410	
☐ THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME					\$	\$930	\$	
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- The Commissioner is hereby requested to grant an extension of time for the appropriate length of time, should one be necessary, in connection with this filing or any future filing submitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office in the above-identified application during the pendency of this application. The Commissioner is further authorized to charge any fees related to any such extension of time to Deposit Account 23-3050. This sheet is provided in duplicate.

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 - Any additional patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 or 1.20(d).

SHOULD ANY DEFICIENCIES APPEAR with respect to this application, including deficiencies in payment of fees, missing parts of the application or otherwise, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is respectfully requested to promptly notify the undersigned.

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